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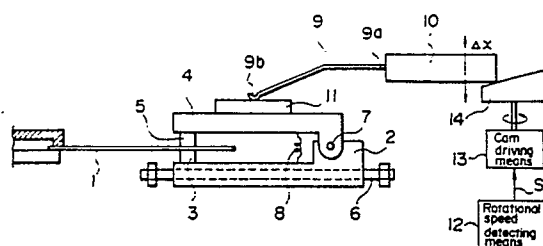
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Disc drive systems.

A disc drive system includes a motor for rotating a magnetic disc (1), a transducer arrangement including magnetic heads (3, 5) for transducing information from and on to the magnetic disc (1), and biasing means such as a leaf spring (9) for biasing the magnetic heads (3, 5) against the magnetic disc (1) with a biasing pressure dependent on the rotational speed of the magnetic disc (1). When the rotational speed of the disc (1) is increased, the pressure due to air flow generated by the rotation of the disc (1) increases, which would otherwise increase the spacing distance of the magnetic heads (3, 5) from the disc (1). However, since the force provided by the leaf spring (9), and therefore the contact pressure between the magnetic heads (3, 5) and the disc (1), is increased with increasing rotational speed, the spacing distance of the magnetic heads (3, 5) from the disc (1) may be maintained substantially constant. Therefore, although the rotational speed of the disc (1) is increased, the so-called spacing loss in the reproduced signal is not increased, thereby enabling good reproduction to take place.

FIG. 1



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